

# Position Qualification for Operational Coordination Incident Management

### TIME UNIT LEADER (NQS)

RESOURCE CATEGORY	Incident Management
RESOURCE KIND	Personnel
OVERALL FUNCTION	The Time Unit Leader collects, records, and maintains all time data and cumulative time records
COMPOSITION AND ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS	<ol> <li>This position can be ordered as a single resource.</li> <li>Requestor specifies any additional qualifications necessary based on incident complexity and needs</li> <li>Discuss logistics for deploying this position, such as working conditions, length of deployment, security, lodging, transportation, and meals, prior to deployment</li> </ol>

Each type of resource builds on the qualifications of the type below it. For example, Type 1 qualifications include the qualifications in Type 2, plus an increase in capability. Type 1 is the highest qualification level.

COMPONENT	SINGLE TYPE	NOTES
DESCRIPTION	The Time Unit Leader:  1. Collects, records, and maintains all time data and cumulative time records  2. Determines personnel and equipment for which staff will keep time  3. Provides time and staffing estimates (current and future)  4. Establishes or transitions into a unit under the Finance/Administration Section  5. Configures unit with personnel to support activities	Not Specified
EDUCATION	Not Specified	Not Specified
TRAINING	Completion of the following:  1. IS-100: Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS-100  2. IS-200: Basic Incident Command System for Initial Response, ICS-200  3. ICS-300: Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents  4. IS-700: National Incident Management System, An Introduction  5. IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction  6. IS-2900: National Disaster Recovery Framework (NDRF) Overview  7. E/L 0975: Finance/Administration Unit Leader, or equivalent  8. E/G/L 0191: Emergency Operations Center/Incident Command System Interface	Identified equivalent trainings should meet or exceed course learning objectives.
EXPERIENCE	Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities: Financial management concepts and principles  Experience:  1. Successful completion of the National Qualification System (NQS) Position Task Book (PTB) for the National Incident Management System (NIMS) Time Unit Leader, or equivalent Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ) documentation  2. Experience in incident management in a finance-related position	Not Specified
PHYSICAL/MEDICAL FITNESS	Light	The NIMS Guideline for the NQS defines Physical/Medical Fitness levels for NQS positions.



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COMPONENT	SINGLE TYPE	NOTES
	Functions in this position during an operational incident, planned event, exercise, drill, or simulation at least once every five years	Not Specified
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS	Not Specified	Not Specified



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#### **NOTES**

Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated component.

### **REFERENCES**

- 1. FEMA, NIMS 509: Finance/Administration Section Chief
- 2. FEMA, National Qualification System (NQS) Position Task Book for Time Unit Leader, latest edition adopted
- 3. FEMA, National Incident Management System (NIMS), October 2017
- 4. FEMA, NIMS Guideline for the NQS, November 2017
- 5. FEMA, National Response Framework, June 2016